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Cuticura	1.00	.75
Scott's Emulsion Cod Liver Oil	1.00	.75
Warner's Safe Cure	1.00	.75
Hall's Catarrh Cure	1.00	.75
Syrup of Figs	.50	.40
Electric Bitters	.50	.40
King's New Discovery	.50	.40
Kendall's Spavin Cure	.50	.40
Williams' Pink Pills	.50	.40
Castoria	.35	.25
Ransom's Hives Syrup	.35	.25
Jaynes' Tonic Vermifuge	.35	.25
Pleaves Corn Cure	.25	.20
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MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

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Old Barton County Bakery Stand.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

If you are in somebody else's house
at meal time the proper caper is either
to accept an invitation to eat or go
home and give them a chance to do so.

A man may work, and a man may
pray, and practice prohibition every
day; but he can't go a-fishin' and prac-
tice prohibition—because he ain't
built that way.

Editor Townsley hit the Leaven-
worth punch bowl when off on his
jaunt, and ever since then there is a
new sparkle to the items in the even-
ing twinkler.

Tom Ely Jr. left about a week ago
for Cripple Creek, with \$3 in his pock-
et. He is home now, flush and full of
experience that ought to last him the
rest of his life.

Port Morrison stopped off from
Lamar Mo., Sunday, on his way to Col-
orado gold fields, to visit a couple of
days with Charlie, and shake hands
with his many old friends.

One man made \$80,000 in the liquor
business in Maine during the last 12
years. Maine being a prohibition
state—like Kansas—the profits are
large, and the business good.

A "bean bake" by the old soldiers at
Hoisington on Friday evening last,
was attended by quite a number of the
old soldiers from Great Bend. They
report a jolly time of course.

Yes he did, Rev. Albert Stephenson
did. He did the whitewashing act in
the areas to the DEMOCRAT office—and
a good job too. Call on him when you
want some whitewashing done.

A large amount of severe bad colds,
bordering upon the gripe, is being
visited upon our people these days,
probably brought on by going out and
making garden in their shirt sleeves.

Whenever a young unmarried man
leaves town for a short trip the ques-
tion is asked, "Who is the girl?" Just
as if any Great Bend young man would
go out of town to find a sweetheart!

Mr. Hoisington says a few politicians
were recently scheming to buy the Re-
gister, but that that paper is not for
sale, and why the republican politician
would want to buy it, deponent sayeth
not.

How about fire guards? Have the
farmers all got their premises properly
protected from the usual spring prairie
fires? This is thrown out as a hint
that if followed up may save some man
valued property.

A splendid "log rolling" was enjoyed
by the M. W. A., at Ellinwood Thurs-
day night of last week. Quite a number
attended from Great Bend, and all
report a royal reception on the part of
the Ellinwood men.

Call on the DEMOCRAT for farm leas-
es, rent receipt books, notes, mortgages,
and all justice of the peace blanks.
Any quantity, from 1 to 1000, and at
prices cheaper than the same can be
bought in Topeka.

Joe Cummings, of Clafin, had a run-
away last week that laid him up for
some days. He was thrown from his
wagon, and one of the wheels ran over
his stomach. The team became
frightened at an engine.

A box supper was given at Hood's
school house, seven miles south of
town, Friday evening last, and was
well attended. The neat sum of \$20
was netted. Several couple of Great
Bend young folks went out.

Remember the "Portrait" social by
the ladies of the M. E. church, at the
home of W. H. Tamplin, 4th ward,
Friday evening of this week. All
ladies who can are requested to bring
along pictures of themselves when a
child.

D. C. Luse attended the wolf hunt,
west of town, Tuesday of last week.
He says there were at least a dozen
wolves scared up, but only one was
captured, owing to a lack of order and
system on the part of the large crowd in
attendance.

Last Friday the Philomathean Society
of the city high schools elected the fol-
lowing officers: Webster Langham,
Pres.; Will Townsley, Vice Pres.;
Daisy Allen, Sec.; Sampson Perry,
Asst. Sec.; Mamie Connitt, Treas.;
Viola Foote, Librarian.

We want to close out our stock of
stoves, and are offering them at actual
cost to us. You cannot afford to let
this opportunity pass to get a good
stove at cost. This is no catch advertis-
ment, but we mean business.
Great Bend Implement Co.

Friday evening last the Epworth
League of the M. E. church gave a
Washington reception, at the A. O. U.
W. hall, which was largely attended.
A very excellent program of vocal and
instrumental music, recitations, etc.,
was rendered. Numerous of the young
folks were present in costume, and a
jolly evening was enjoyed by all.

A second ward young lady took ad-
vantage of leap year privileges, Sunday,
and drove down into the third ward to
the home of a gallant young lover who
was awaiting a buggy ride. History
does not record whether or not the
young gent kept the young lady wait-
ing while he crimped his bangs and
adjusted his necktie.

Fred Moore, of south side got a letter
from his father, 30 miles west of Chi-
cago, written on the 20th, that stated
that they were having a foot of snow
and very severe winter weather. Think
of it, you favored Barton county citi-
zens, as you pull off your coats and fol-
low the plows these balmy spring days.

C. W. Oswald, proprietor of the
Hutchinson steam laundry, was in
Great Bend Tuesday in the interest of
his business. Mr. Oswald is a gentle-
man whom it is a pleasure to meet and
do business with.

[First Published February 13, 1896.]
SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF KANSAS, ss.

BARTON COUNTY, ss.

S. N. Townsley,

vs.

Ernest D. Lindsley, B. F. Ogle, Guardian, et al.
By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed
and delivered, issued out of the 20th Judicial
District Court of the State of Kansas, sitting in and
for Barton County, in said State, I will, on March 17th,
A. D. 1896 between the hours of 1 o'clock p. m. and 2
o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court House West
door in Great Bend City, in the County and State
aforesaid, offer at public sale and sell to the highest
bidder, for cash in hand, the following described
Real property, to wit:

The Southwest quarter (3/4) of section Fifteen (15)
in Township Eighteen (18), South of Base Line of
Range Fourteen (14), west of 6 Principal Meridian,
containing 160 acres more or less, according to Gov-
ernment Survey, situated in Barton County, Kan-
sas.

Said property to be sold as commanded by the
said Special Execution. L. P. ABER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office February 12th, 1896. 47-51

[First Published February 6, 1896.]
SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF KANSAS, ss.

BARTON COUNTY, ss.

Farmhand Mortgage and Debenture Company,

vs.

John Armstrong,

et al.
By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed
and delivered, issued out of the 20th Judicial
District Court of the State of Kansas, sitting in and
for Barton County, in said State, I will, on March
9th A. D. 1896 between the hours of 1 o'clock P.
M. and 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Court
House West door in Great Bend City in the County
and State aforesaid, offer at public sale and sell to
the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the follow-
ing described property to wit:

The South East Quarter of Section No. Five (5)
Township No. Nineteen (19) South of Range No.
Twelve (12) west of 6 principal meridian. Said lands
situated in Barton County Kansas.

Said property to be sold as commanded by the
said Special Execution. L. P. ABER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office February 5, 1896. 46-50.

[First published in the Barton County DEMOCRAT
February 6, 1896.]
SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Kansas, Barton County, ss.
Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Co.,

vs.

David Eby and Louise Eby, et al.
By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed
and delivered, issued out of the 20th Judicial
District Court of the State of Kansas, sitting in and
for Barton County, in said State, I will, on March
9th A. D. 1896 between the hours of 1 o'clock P. M.
and 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Court House
West door in Great Bend City in the County and
State aforesaid, offer at public sale and sell to
the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the follow-
ing described Real property, to wit:

The North East Quarter (1/4) of Section No. Two
(2) Township Eighteen (18) Range Thirteen (13)
West of the 6 principal meridian, Said lands situat-
ed in Barton County Kansas.

Said property to be sold as commanded by the
said Special Execution. L. P. ABER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office February 5th, 1896. 46-50.

[First published Feb. 6, 1896.]
Sheriff's Sale.

State of Kansas, ss.

Barton County, ss.

David D. Dickinson, vs.

Herman Hesse and Francis J. Hesse, et al.
By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed
and delivered, issued out of the 20th Judicial
District Court of the State of Kansas, sitting in and
for Barton County, in said State, I will, on March
9th (9) A. D. 1896 between the hours of 1 o'clock
P. M. and 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Court
House West door in Great Bend City in the County
and State aforesaid, offer at public sale and sell to
the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following
described Real property, to wit:

The South West Quarter of Section Four (4) in
Township Eighteen (18) of Range Twelve (12). Said
lands situated in Barton County Kansas.

Said property to be sold as commanded by the
said Special Execution. L. P. ABER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office February 5th, 1896. 46-50.

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ple Creek. J. RASOR, Ag't.

FOR SALE: A well improved farm
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Barton county Kansas, value \$1,800,
will sell at a bargain. For particulars
address **MRS. E. W. ALLEN,**
6t 248 Clark avenue.
Freeport, Ill.

Advertised Letters.

Following is a list of letters remaining uncalled
for in the postoffice at Great Bend for the week
ending February 26, 1896:
Brooks, Claud Burland, Gerlie
Brown, Mrs M S Hoffman, L. R.
Smith, Mrs Elizabeth.
Persons calling for any of the above letters will
please say "advertised." WILL E. STOKK, P. M.

Go to Wichita by way of the Mo. P.
Ry., to the Western Kansas Conference
of M. E. churches. The Missouri Pa-
cific will sell return tickets from Wich-
ita at 1/2 fare, certificate plan. Date of
sales, March 24 to 31; returning limit
April 3rd. J. S. MYERS, Agt.

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dead. Why not make our homes pleasant?

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